

**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**Applicant/Patent Owner: Neopost TechnologiesApplication No./Patent No.: 09/476,321 Filed/Issue Date: January 3, 2000Entitled: **AUTHENTICATION SYSTEM FOR MAIL PIECES**

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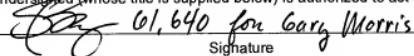
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